

Maine Revised Statutes
Title 24-A: MAINE INSURANCE CODE
Chapter 35: GROUP AND BLANKET HEALTH INSURANCE

§2833-B. MANDATORY OFFER TO EXTEND COVERAGE FOR DEPENDENT CHILDREN UP TO 25 YEARS OF AGE

1. Dependent child; definition. As used in this section, "dependent child" means the child of a person covered under a group health insurance policy when that child:

- A. Is unmarried; [2007, c. 115, §2 (NEW); 2007, c. 115, §5 (AFF).]
- B. Has no dependent of the child's own; and [2007, c. 514, §6 (AMD).]
- C. Is a resident of this State or is enrolled as a full-time student at an accredited public or private institution of higher education. [2007, c. 514, §7 (AMD).]
- D. [2007, c. 514, §8 (RP).]

[2007, c. 514, §§6-8 (AMD) .]

2. Offer of coverage. Notwithstanding section 2822, a group health insurance policy that offers coverage for a dependent child must offer such coverage, at the option of the policyholder, until the dependent child is 25 years of age. An insurer may require, as a condition of eligibility for coverage in accordance with this section, that a person seeking coverage for a dependent child provide written documentation on an annual basis that the dependent child meets the requirements in subsection 1.

[2007, c. 514, §9 (AMD) .]

3. Notice.

[2007, c. 514, §10 (NEW); T. 24-A, §2833-B, sub-§3 (RP) .]

SECTION HISTORY

2007, c. 115, §2 (NEW). 2007, c. 115, §5 (AFF). 2007, c. 514, §§6-10 (AMD) .

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